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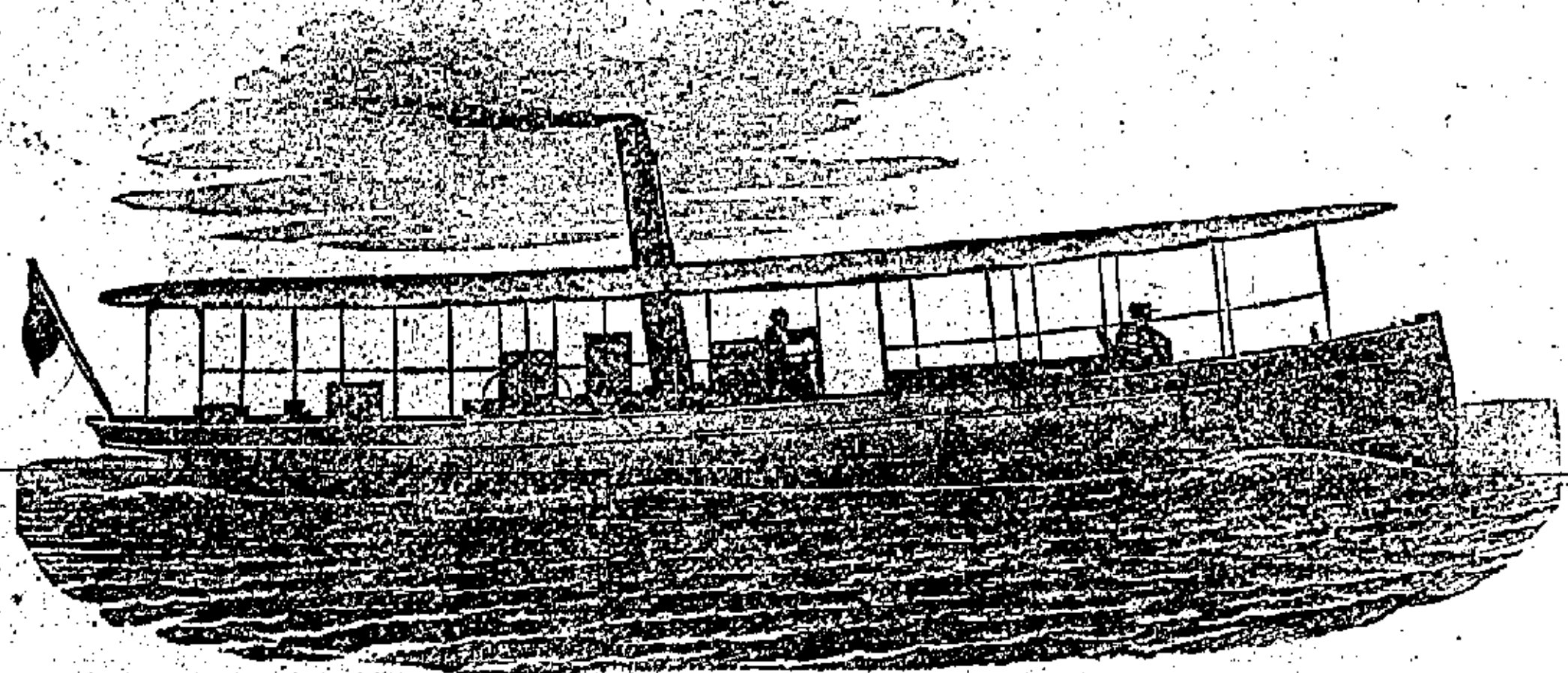
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HONGKONG, MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1899.

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Business Notices.



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W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,
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Hongkong, Oct. 10, 1899. 2246

ROTHEN MARK LODGE—No. 284.

A REGULAR MEETING of the
ROTHEN MARK LODGE will be
held at the FREEMASONS' HALL, on
TUESDAY, the 23rd October Inst., at
5 for 5.15 p.m. precisely. Visitors
are cordially invited to attend.
Hongkong, October 24, 1899. 2237

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COM-
PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

SHAREHOLDERS who have not re-
ceived their Forms of Application for
the New Issue of SHARES can obtain
them by Applying at the Office of the
Company.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents.

Hongkong, October 10, 1899. 2282

TEDRAU PLANTING COMPANY,
LIMITED.

IN Accordance with Article No. VIII,
Paragraph 3, of the ARTICLES of
Association of the COMPANY, INTEREST
at the Rate of \$10 Per Cent. per Annum
is being CHARGED on ALL UNPAID
CALLS.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, Sept. 27, 1899. 2150

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Great Reductions!!

ALL KINDS OF JAPANESE CURIOS.

Dr. NOMA,

12, Beaconfield Avenue,
Opposite the CITY HALL.
Hongkong, October 25, 1899. 2233

HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-
pany are requested to attend a
PRIVATE MEETING to be held at its
Registered Offices, 38 and 40 Queen's Road
Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day
of November Next, at Noon.

HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND
FINANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
Hongkong, October 24, 1899. 2242

METROPOLE HOTEL

A SUBSCRIPTION DANCE will be
given at the above HOTEL, SACRIFICE
ROAD, on the 3rd November, 1899. First-
Class String Band in attendance.
Tickets may be had from Messrs. BROWN
& Co., Queen's Road.

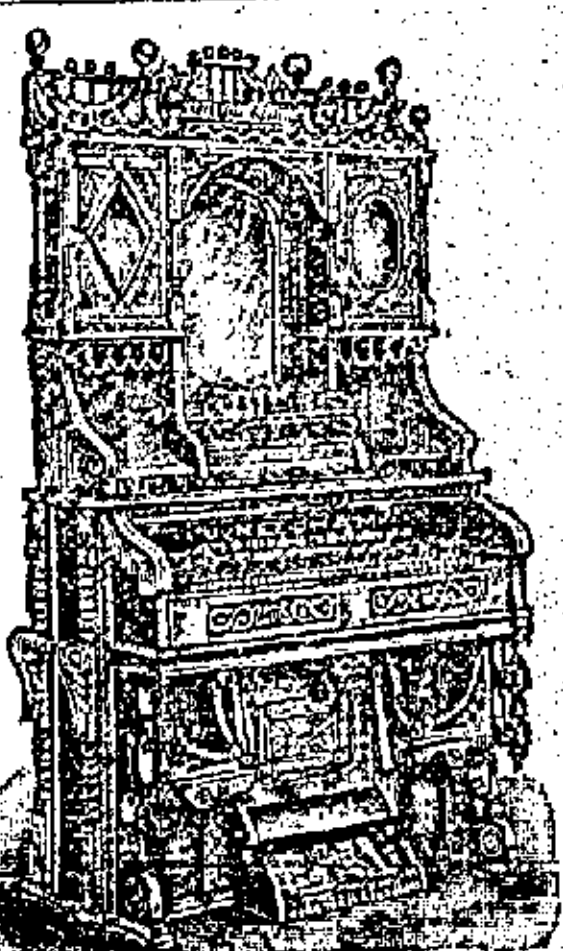
S. J. GRANTVILLE,
General Manager and Prop.
Hongkong, October 27, 1899. 2260

NOTICE.

A NEW ESTABLISHED FIRM, with
First-Class connections in Europe,
America, and The East. WANTS
A PARTNER.
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IRON & STEEL
Care of CHINA MAIL Office.
Hongkong, October 28, 1899. 2272

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Select Models of the Celebrated

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EVERY COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE PROVIDED FOR GUESTS

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Hongkong Agent: W. HUTTON POTTS. Office: DAIRY FARM BUILDING, Belvedere Gardens.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A DIVIDEND of \$18 per SHARE for
the year 1898, Equivalent to 30% on
the PAID-UP CAPITAL of \$60 per SHARE,
has been Declared.
WARRANTS will be issued on the 13th
October.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 12, 1899. 2259

WANTED.

A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT
BOOKKEEPER (PORTUGUESE),
for Manila.
Address: P. J. J.
Care of CHINA MAIL Office.
Hongkong, October 24, 1899. 2243

KANG ON, CONTRACTOR.

20, D'ARQUER STREET, HONGKONG.
CONTRACTS for Land and Coast Port-
land Cement, all descriptions, Sup-
plying, LIME, BRICKS, and all
building materials at very Moderate
Prices, and undertaking the construction of
Buildings, Bridges, and all kinds of
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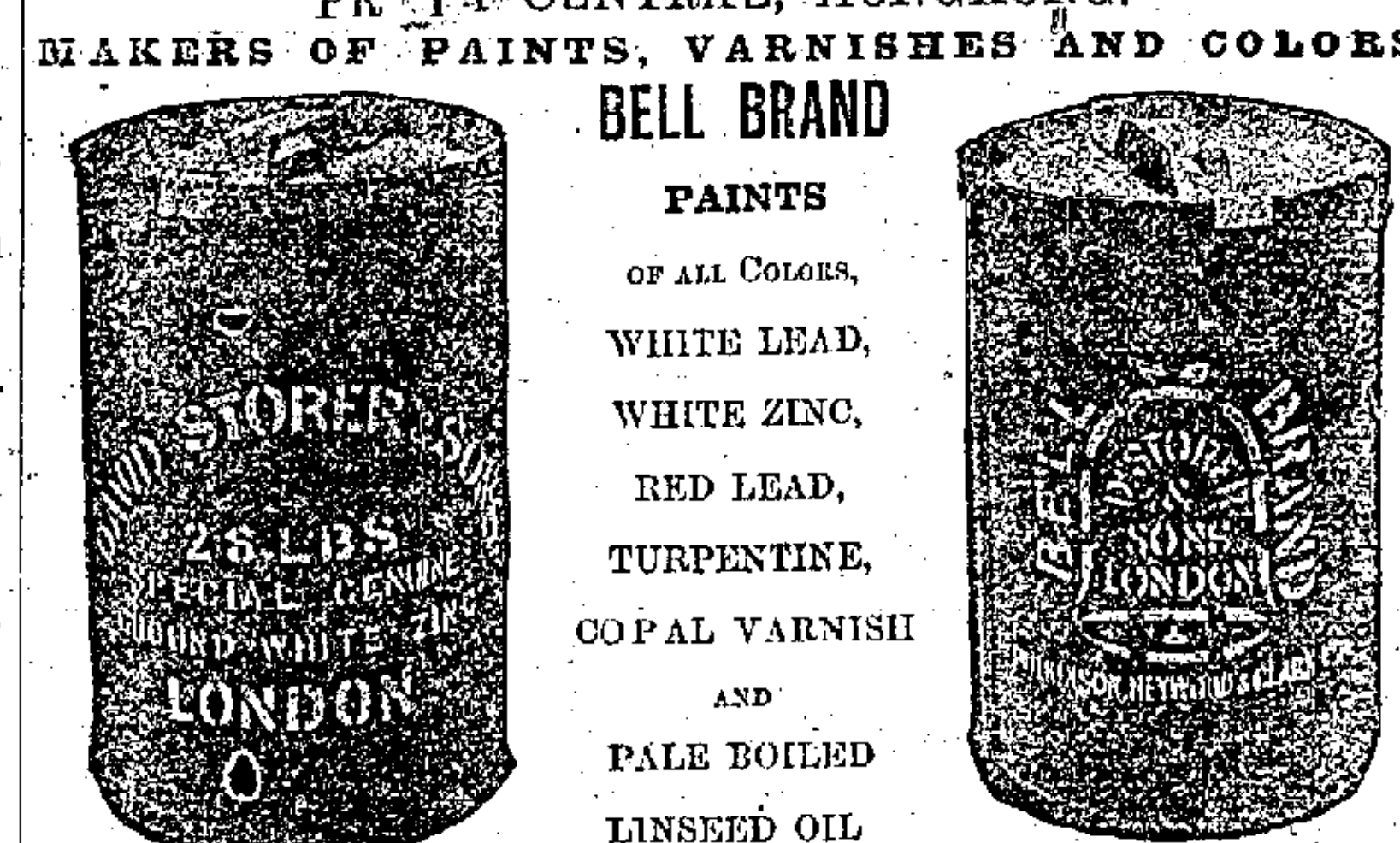
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PRICE PER DOZEN QUARTS ... \$36.00
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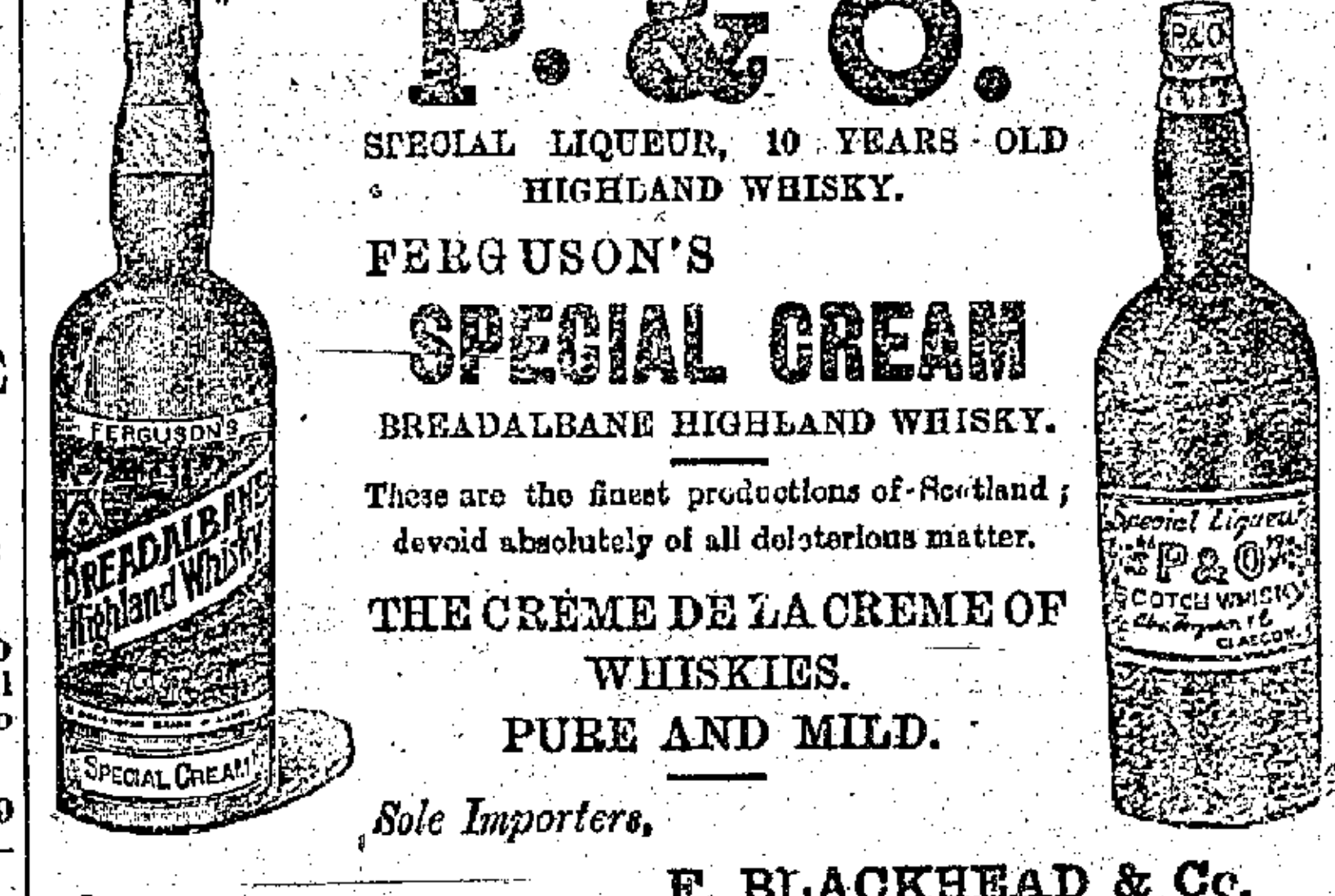
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These are the finest productions of Scotland,
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THE CREME DE LA CREME OF
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PURE AND MILD.

Sole Importers,
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

Dewar's Whiskies, \$12 and \$14.
TEACHER'S HIGHLAND CREAM, \$12.00.
CLUB WHISKY, \$12.00.

F. O. S. VERY OLD SCOTCH, \$15.00.

SOLE AGENTS:
H. PRICE & Co.,
12, QUEEN'S ROAD.

TRADE MARK.
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THE PEAK HOTEL
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THE PEAK HOTEL is Situated at VICTORIA CLIFF, adjoining the TRAMWAY
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THE CHOSEN TONIC OF ROYALTY,

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PORTLAND CEMENT,

GLAZED STONEWARE DRAIN PIPES AND FITTINGS, GLAZED PAVING.

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For Prices and further particulars, apply to

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EMPEROR CHOCOLATE.

CHOICEST CHOCOLATE. CHOCOLATE CREAMS.

CHOCOLATE JORDAN ALMONDS.

ASSORTED CHOCOLATE, in Fancy Boxes and Bags.

CADBURY'S COCOA, in 1/2 and 1/4 lb. Tins.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

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AMERICAN BOOTS AND SHOES, O'ERLAND TRUNKS,
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THE PHARMACY,

10 Queen's Road Central (Formerly occupied by
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THIS Business has been under entirely New Management since August 1st. All
Prescriptions dispensed by a qualified Chemist. Special attention paid to French
and all other Foreign formulae.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN PATENT MEDICINE.

Homeopathic Medicines.
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MAGNUMS, BOTTLES AND HALF-BOTTLES.

One of the most Popular Brands in ENGLAND and the UNITED STATES.

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15, QUEEN'S ROAD. Hongkong, October 10, 1899. 2300

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AN UNPRECEDENTED SHOW OF FASHIONABLE
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WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES
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FOR	STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	DATE
LONDON	Jan	G. W. GORDON, R.N.	About 2nd Nov.
YMA, Via S'HAL, NKK, and KOBE	Japan	G. K. WRIGHT, R.N.	About 4th Nov.
LONDON	Shanghai	F. C. A. LYON, R.N.	About 16th Nov.

* See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, October 25, 1899. 2277

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL.

BOXING! BOXING! BOXING!

A GRAND DISPLAY OF BOXING will take place TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), the 31st Oct., 1899, commencing at 8 p.m.

A three-round Exhibition Sparring between Corporal G. WATKINS, and J. SULLIVAN, for a Silver Medal.

THE EVENT OF THE EVENING will be a twelve round contest between MISS COLLINS, Middleweight Champion of California, and DAN JONES, Middleweight Champion of E. London, for a massive Silver Cup.

Five round contest between CHAS. THOMAS, and JIM WATKINS, for a Gold Ring.

Admission ... 3s, 2s and 1s. Doors open at 8.30 p.m. First contest at 9 p.m. sharp.

A. HARRIS.

Hongkong, October 30, 1899.

THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL.

THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.

Will give Two Performances of Mr. A. W. PINCHON'S LATEST FAIRY 'THE MAGISTRATE,'

SATURDAY, 4th November, 1899, and MONDAY, 6th November, 1899.

Commencing each EVENING at 9 p.m. precisely.

Dress Circle, 2s. Stalls, 8d. Pit, 4d. Half-Pit, 2d. For Seats, Saloons and Police in Uniform.

Tickets can be obtained at the Hongkong Office of the Theatre, City Hall, on and after MONDAY, 23rd October, at 10 a.m.

The Booking Office will remain open from that date from 12 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Late Trans will run 1 hour after the fall of the curtain.

E. W. MICHELL, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, October 21, 1899.

Auctions.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. GEO. P. LAMBERT has been instructed to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY,

the 10th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock p.m., at his Office, The Mortgagee's Office, 11, Queen's Road, Central.

THE FOLLOWING VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY, Is Two Lots.

LOT 1.—INLAND LOT No. 297, Area 3192 square feet. Term of 999 years from the 25th of January, 1824. Crown Rent \$36.16. Net Rental per annum \$456.68. Assessed Rental \$456.68.

LOT 2.—INLAND LOT No. 311, Area 2745 square feet. Term 999 years from the 25th of January, 1824. Crown Rent \$42. Net Rental per annum \$1,019.28. Assessed Rental \$42.

The Lots will be sold under the same Particulars and Conditions of sale (in so far as they are applicable to this Property) as they were put up for sale under the 19th October last, which can be obtained from THE AUCTIONEER, or from

Messrs. DEACON & HASTINGS, 35, Queen's Road, Central.

Hongkong, October 27, 1899.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 16th day of November, 1899, at Noon, on Board,

A PARTIALLY-CONSTRUCTED HULL OF A STEAMER

Now lying at YAU MAI.

Length over all ... 160' Breadth ... 25' 3" Depth ... 20' Material ... Wood Capacity ... 650 tons deadweight.

A Steamship will convey intending Purchasers from Plover's Wharf at 11.30 a.m. on day of Sale.

Money to be paid on the fall of Hammer, the remainder on delivery within one week from date of Sale.

For further Particulars, apply to GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, October 28, 1899.

To-day's Advertisements

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 503.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held at the Office of the Public Works Department, on MONDAY, the 6th day of November, 1899, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held on MONDAY, the 6th day of November, 1899, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of Her Majesty the Queen for one further term of 75 years.

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To-day's Advertisements

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FROM 1st DECEMBER NEXT. No. 5, SEYMOUR ROAD (6-Rooms). Apply to J. D. BARROS, At No. 46, Elgin Street. Hongkong, October 30, 1899. 2386

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISIA, LD. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship TAM-SUI MAU, Captain K. SONGMA, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 5th November, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MITSUBI BUNSAN KAISIA, Agents. Hongkong, October 29, 1899. 2378

'MOGUL' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. EMERALD, FROM NEW YORK AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, at Kowloon, whence and from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 4th Day, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th Day, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 4th Day, at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents. Hongkong, Oct. 29, 1899. 2377

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Chi Yuen, Chinese steamer, 1,211 Tons. Jamieson, Shanghai Oct. 25, General. C. M. S. Co.

Kong-shin, Japanese steamer, 2,710 Tons. N. Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Ltd. General. Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Ltd.

Hanok, French steamer, 739 Tons. Jamieson, Hongkong Oct. 25, and Holloway 27, General. A. R. M. Co.

Kowloon, British steamer, 1,900 Tons. W. O. O'Brien, Hongkong Oct. 23, General. Butterfield & Swire.

Shanghai, British steamer, 1,335 Tons. Jamieson, Hongkong Oct. 19, Sugar. Butterfield & Swire.

Tai-chung, German steamer, 828 Tons. Jamieson, Hongkong Oct. 20, Coal. Messageries Maritimes.

Hongkong, German steamer, 2,143 Tons. Jamieson, Hongkong Oct. 27, Coal. Messageries Maritimes.

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Daylight—Thales leaves for Swatow. Noon—Kagoshima Maru leaves for Bombay, &c. Noon—Bambay leaves for Kobe. 5 p.m.—Bambay leaves for Kobe.

Amusements.

9 p.m.—A Grand Display of Boxing in the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

Wednesday, November 1.—Private Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., at the Registered Offices 38 and 40 Queen's Road Central.

Goods per Kintok not cleared this date at 4 p.m. will be subject to rent.

9 p.m.—Meeting of Zealand Lodge. Goods per Zealand Maru not cleared after this date subject to rent.

Friday, November 3.—Goods per Zealand Maru not cleared at 4 p.m. subject to rent.

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Saturday, November 4.—9 p.m.—Performance of the A. D. C. in the City Hall.

Goods per Zealand Maru not cleared after this date subject to rent.

Monday, November 6.—8 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land at Wong-niching Village.

3.30 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land, at Leighton Hill Road.

Thursday, November 10.—Noon—Auction on board, a Partly-constructed hull of a Steamer, now lying at Yau-mai.

3 p.m.—Auction of Valuable Property, lying at Yau-mai and Lodge.

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